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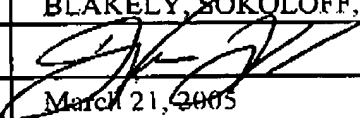
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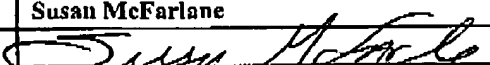
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		First Named Inventor	Darwin A. Engwer
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FEE CALCULATION					
1. EXTRA CLAIM FEES					
Total Claims	33	33*	0	50.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	6*	0	200.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent					
Large Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
	1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20
	1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
	1203	300	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
	1204	300	2204	150	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
	1205	300	2205	150	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (1)				(\$)	0.00
2. ADDITIONAL FEES					
Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1051	130	2051	85	Surcharge - late filing fee or cash	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
2053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification	
1251	120	2251	80	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	1,020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,160	2255	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal	
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1403	1,000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1480	130	2480	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1808	180	1808	100	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
1809	790	1809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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